

## Message Text

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ACTION EB-08

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R 011528Z FEB 78  
FM AMEMBASSY ROME  
TO SECSTATE WASHDC 0319  
INFO AMEMBASSY ANKARA  
AMEMBASSY ISLAMABAD  
AMEMBASSY TEHRAN

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E.O. 11652: N/A  
TAGS: EAIR, IT  
SUBJECT: CIVAIR: PAN AM SCHEDULE TO KARACHI

REF: 77 STATE 259537

1. EMBASSY RECIEVED ON JAN. 31 MFA NOTE VERBALE NO.  
079/01704 OF JAN. 28 WHICH STATES THAT RESPONSIBLE  
ITALIAN AUTHORITIES AUTHORIZED EFFECTIVE IMMEDIATELY AND  
UNTIL MARCH 30, 1978 FLIGHT PA 111 KARACHI-TEHRAN-ISTANBUL-  
ROME-NEW YORK ON THURSDAYS ARRIVING AT ROME AT 1225 AND DEPARTING  
ROME AT 1330 LOCAL TIME. HOWEVER, NOTE CONTINUES, MFA ASKS  
EMBASSY TO ASK PAN AM TO CHANGE ARRIVAL AND DEPARTURE TIMES  
FORWARD OR BACKWARCD BY "ABOUT 15 MINUTES" FOR AIRPORT  
CLEARANCE REASONS.

2. EMBOFF INFORMED IMMEDIATELY ROME PAN AM MANAGER WHO  
OBSERVED THAT WOULD BE DIFFICULT FOR PAN AM TO ADJUST  
ARRIVAL/DEPARTURE TIME BY AS MUCH AS 15 MINUTES AT  
THIS LATE DATE ESPECIALLY FOR THIS PARTICULAR FLIGHT WHICH  
IS PART OF PAN AM'S "GLOBE GIRDLING" FLGHT. HE ALSO NOTED THAT  
THIS IS FIRST INSTANCE OF AIRPORT SLOT TIME PROBLEM AT  
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FIUMICINO. FIUMICINO AIRPORT AUTHORITIES HERETOFORE HAVE ALLOWED  
AIRLINES TO SCHEDULE FLIGHTS PRETTY MUCH AS THEY WANTED,  
RESULTING IN A HEAVY CONCENTRATION BETWEEN THE HOURS OF 1000  
AND 1600 AND IN AIRLINE COMPLAINTS BECAUSE AEROPORTI DI ROMA'S  
GROUND HANDLING SERVICES HAVE BEEN INADEQUATE TO COPE WITH SUCH  
A CONCENTRATION OF ARRIVALS AND DEPARTURES.

3. PAN AM MANAGER SAID HE WOULD SEEK INSTRUCTIONS FROM  
PAN AM HEADQUARTERS BUT HE BELIEVED IT MIGHT WELL BE  
NECESSARY TO ASK GOI TO MOVE SOME OTHER AIRLINE'S SLOT TIME.  
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